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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 1618

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 3327.2346-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) \
Y. Okada et al.) Group Art Unit: 1618
Application No.: 10/578,682) Examiner: N. Ebrahim
Filed:	May 9, 2006))) Confirmation No.: 3661)) Mail Stop AF)
For:	Pharmaceutical Composition for Treatment of Tear and Salivary Fluid Drying	

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Applicant replies to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2007 ("Office Action") the period for response having been extended to February 29, 2008, by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.